

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 3627**

**PATENT**  
5681-90600/P6552

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Title: Method and System for Processing Timecard Related Information in a Purchase Order Procurement System

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION MAILED  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Action of February 14, 2005, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.